

Extensive Oil
Developments
At Pigeon Lake

OKLAHOMA AND TEXAS OPERA-
TORS MAY DRILL 22 MILES
WEST OF CITY

It is reported that Wm. Graves, an oil operator of Oklahoma and Texas, has secured large holdings in the Pigeon Lake district west of the city and intends to start development work as soon as possible this coming spring. The contract, having already been let for the transportation of drilling machinery and other supplies from Millet and Wetaskiwin to the area which is located approximately twenty miles north-west of Wetaskiwin, and some forty-five miles southwest of Edmonton.

Mr. Graves considers the possibilities in this particular field to be the very best and the fact that he has secured large lease holdings as well as surface rights covering a large area is an assurance of his future, the field which he is now prepared to develop.

According to Mr. Graves, who has had his geologist over the ground, he expects to find oil in paying quantities at a depth of about one thousand feet, and also says that the chances for finding gas in large quantities are almost certain the location being along the dome of the Pigeon Lake anticline which lies some five hundred feet higher than the city of Wetaskiwin.

Every day the big drill of the Mutual Oil & Gas company drives its nose deep into mother earth and the earliest word at which oil should be found, will be received very shortly this coming spring.

Mr. Warren, the company's geologist, is very optimistic, and according to his report, oil and gas should be found in paying quantities at a depth not exceeding one thousand feet.

According to officials of the company they appear certain that should a flow gas be encountered in the first well, that arrangements could be made to supply the city in time for next winter's requirements.

CRYSTALS WIN FROM
LACOMBE AND LOSE
TO LEDUC SEXTETE

A team from eastern claims—to win oil and asbestos, Lacombe, while the team of the Leduc, and Cuba (Cryystals) and went home disappointed in mind and body, for the injuries they inflicted physically and mentally. In the past, were revenged on Friday last. Lacombe's famous defence men were sadly at a loss in the last five minutes of the play, for twice they were severely beaten and two goals were scored to them in the new venture.

Provisions attaching to the plan are that, in order to benefit under the scheme, the men must be married and must be accepted by the department in Leduc as suitable physically and otherwise.

Each man must have a capital of \$2000 in addition to his personal and must, contract and select his own land before agreeing to purchase.

OBITUARY

MATTHIAS LAMBERT

There passed away at Ponoka on Tuesday, February 14th, Matthias Lambert, at the age of 69 years. The funeral was held from the Roman Catholic church.

The death took place on Monday last, February 20, of Andrew Sjoland, Sr., aged 73, at his residence, of pneumonia. Deceased was born in Sweden and emigrated to this country many years ago. He leaves a widow, six daughters and two sons to mourn his loss. The funeral took place yesterday at Brightview, Rev. Faulkner officiating.

JOHN AYERS MCCARTHY

Another of the old-timers of Wetaskiwin was called to his last home this week in the person of John A. McCarthy, at the advanced age of 74 years. Deceased had not been enjoying the best of health for some time and it was a sad sight to see him on the day of his death. He leaves a widow, and daughter and one son to mourn his departure. The funeral was held on Saturday, Feb. 18th from the Roman Catholic church, interment being in the C.R. cemetery.

EDGAR DAMON ALLEN

We deeply regret to announce the death of Edgar Damon Allen, who passed away at his residence, southwest of Brightview on Friday last, the 17th inst. Deceased was 37 years of age, being born August 22, 1884, at Everett, Snohomish County, Wash. He moved to this country in 1919, taking land in the Hayhurst district.

Last spring he complained of pain in the left thigh which was increasingly severe, and medical aid was sought to determine what was the trouble. He was advised to go to the hospital of the University of Washington, and he returned home to pass on as stated above.

Deceased was educated at Everett high school, and graduated from Smith's College, Seattle. He was a member of the First Baptist church of Everett, where he held the position of choir leader for some years. He was also a director of the Y.M.C.A. of that place. He was married on June 1, 1919 to Nellie Higgin of Everett and leaves her and three children, Ruth, Vernon and Stanley, to mourn

him.

WETASKIWIN LOCAL
SCOUTS ASSOCIATION

The annual meeting of the above association will be held in the City Chambers on Monday, March 6th at 8 p.m. All interested in the work of the Boy Scouts are cordially invited.

Mrs. M. K. Wait, of Okotoks, aged 97, and reported to be Alberta's oldest resident, is dead.

Former Calgary Member
Of Legislature Talked
A Holdup Out of \$45.00

Calgary, Feb. 19.—Dr. T. H. Blow, a well-known Calgary citizen and ex-member of the provincial legislature, was held up by an armed robber, just in front of his home Saturday night. The robber demanded \$50, but after some parley the doctor induced the holdup man to put his gun in his pocket and then gave him \$5. The man who had explained he was very depressed through unemployment, declined the doctor and disappeared.

BARRY VINDICATED
OF MURDER CHARGE

Peace River, Feb. 18.—The jury in the Barry murder case brought in a verdict of not guilty at 9:00 o'clock last night. Barry was applauded round after round and the verdict was a positive, despite the seriousness of the crime.

The judge before discharging him from custody, commented strongly on his mode of living, and advised him to dig in and work hard the balance of his life, and above all not to interfere with married women in future.

C.P.R. BRINGING
THOUSANDS OF
IRISH POLICE

Montreal, Feb. 18.—A colony for 11,000 expatriates of the Royal Irish Constabulary and their families in the irrigation block of the Canadian Pacific railway lands in Alberta, is proposed by the department of colonization and development of the company.

The plan calls for the sale of 240 acres each under easy terms and a loan of \$200 for development purposes.

The colonization scheme is the outcome of the recent visit of Col. Donald Smith, head of the department, to London, and now awaits ratification by the executive of the branch in Canada. The carrying out of the plan is said to be dependent upon whether the British government is willing to compute the total personnel of the R.I.C. into a lump sum, which could be utilized as capital in the new venture.

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COMMANDER OF 4TH
CANADIAN DIVISION
DIED ON SATURDAY

Quebec, Feb. 19.—Major General Sir David Watson, C.B., R.C.M.P., commander of the fourth Canadian division, during the great war, and member of the Canadian Parliament, died at his home here Saturday evening, following a paralytic stroke which he suffered at the Garrison church on Thursday evening. He was 53 years old.

The news of Sir David's death was a sober shock to his many friends for it was thought his condition was improving and that he would ultimately recover. On Saturday afternoon, however, he took a turn for the worse and died early Saturday evening, scarcely before eleven o'clock.

Sir David Watson's part in the war was one of brilliance and romance. At outbreak he was one of the first to volunteer for active service.

Ontario's budget, which will be submitted to the legislature in the course of the next ten days, will total about \$120,000,000.

His loss.

The funeral was held from Brightview Baptist church on Sunday, the 19th, a special service being held at the home, the pastor of the Brightview church, Rev. H. C. Palmer, officiating.

The service at the church was made effective by the condition of Col. E. S. Sparks, M.L.A., and Mr. J. I. Carruthers of Brightview.

The deceased's bright personality will be greatly missed by his church, his well trained mind and clear insight were always in demand by his neighbors and his death comes as a distinct loss to the community.

Floral tributes from Mr. and Mrs. Sparks, R. James, and Brightview Brightview Ladies' Aid.

CEPHAS NELSON

Cephas Nelson, aged 55, died suddenly Saturday afternoon at the Good Samaritan hospital, Portland. He had a hemorrhage of the brain at his home January 15, and was taken to the hospital January 22. His condition had not been good for some time and it was a sad sight to see him on the day of his death.

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Want Railway
Line Extended

DELEGATION ASKS FOR EXTEN-
SION OF LINE FROM RIMBEY
TO EDMONTON

Extension of the Blidman Valley railway from Rimby in the directorate of South Edmonton this year has been promised by Premier Greenfield and the provincial government and the amount of the extension will depend altogether on the financial resources of the government for this purpose. A large instant delegation to the government, Friday morning, and presented their case in a most convincing manner. They showed figures to emphasize the return that a railway to that well settled country would get in the way of transportation of cattle live stock and grain. This country is directly contributory to Edmonton and the delegation was asking that the road be linked up with Edmonton directly, giving service to all the towns in the valley, and that the railway be extended into the valley.

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MAYORALTY CASE
IS ADJOURNED
UNTIL TOMORROW

The case of Alex. Kress vs. H. J. Montgomery, in which Mr. Kress is seeking by Court proceedings, to have Mr. Montgomery declared ineligible to occupy the position of Mayor of Wetaskiwin, and to have Mr. J. F. Fowler declared elected in his place, is to be argued at Edmonton, at 2 p.m. on the 27th inst., before Mr. Justice Walsh. Full particulars will appear in our next issue.

NEW LICENSE BY-LAW
PASSED BY COUNCIL
AT LAST MEETING

Very Complete in Detail and Affects
Every Person Doing Business of
Any Kind in the City Not Already
Paying a Business Tax

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IN THE LEGISLATURE

Issued by the Publicity Commissioner, Government Buildings, Edmonton. Debate on the speech from the throne, which brought the session to a close Tuesday afternoon, was suspended, and the usual motion of acceptance was passed, without division. Speakers in the debate totalled 17, from the government side, seven from the opposition and four from the independent section.

The resolution introduced by Hon. Geo. Headley, urging again upon the dominion government the return of the natural resources to the provinces, was passed in the house Tuesday afternoon, without division.

M. G. McLean, member for Lacombe, was elected deputy speaker of the house.

E. R. Sparks, member for Wetaskiwin, during the week introduced a resolution urging the dominion government to make a re-valuation of farm stock and equipment held by soldiers on land under the soldiers' settlement board, and that indebtedness of the soldier to the board be fixed on the new basis, but this resolution later was withdrawn.

On Monday, Feb. 20, Alex Moore and J. B. Love, introduced a resolution to the effect that the premier should not consider the defeat of the government on any government measure or motion, a sufficient reason for resignation, save where followed by a vote of confidence. A similar resolution was introduced last year by W. M. Davidson and J. G. Turgeon, but ruled out of order by Speaker Plingle.

Premier Greenfield has announced that the budget will be brought down on February 27.

In answer to questions in the house Premier Greenfield stated "that the net bonded indebtedness of the province for February 7th was \$3,527,935. The gross indebtedness is \$8,236,856."

The net revenue from transactions in liquor during 1921 was \$250,000 with a total turnover of \$1,726.

The first act to pass the house was act to amend the municipal districts act. As stated in the effect of the amendment is to change the qualifications as to payment of taxes for voters in elections in town

and village and rural municipality elections. This bill was introduced by Hon. R. G. Reid.

Bills receiving the second reading during the week, included the following:

The highways bill, which, as has been explained, establishes a highway commissioner and good roads board, classifies highways as provincial, state and county, and sets out their classifications, main, highways, market roads, local roads, colonization roads.

Cost of the main highways shall be borne by the province, cost of the market roads shall be borne by the local authority in whose area the market road runs, cost of local roads shall be borne by local authority, and cost of colonization roads shall be borne by the province. This bill was introduced by Hon. Alex Ross.

Minimum wage bill for women.

This bill provides for a minimum wage in the nature of establishing minimum wages for female workers, and for apprentices. The board is to consist of one representative of employers, one for employees, and one representing the provinces at large.

This bill was introduced by Hon. Mr. Parry.

United irrigation bill.—To provide for guarantees of bonds of the United Irrigation District of Cardston, with a maximum of \$45,000. The project is to irrigate 23,000 acres. The bill was introduced by Hon. Mr. Smith.

The pests act.—This is an act to provide for extermination of pests by making it compulsory for farmers to take measures to exterminate pests on their farms, failing which provision is made for the work to be done and charged against them. The bill was introduced by Hon. Geo. Headley.

Acts to amend the irrigation bill, the act to amend the government of irrigation act and the act to amend the irrigation bill.

Certain of these amendments provide against anyone being a member of an irrigation district board who holds a contract, directly or indirectly from the board, or who acts as surety for any officer of the board or who has been convicted of a crime with punishment of more than two years.

Acts have also been introduced to provide against fraud and to provide for the inspection of stocks to amend the brand act, the woods act, the domestic animal act, and the agricultural societies ordinances, the game act and the municipal hospitals act. These acts provide necessary amendments to the various acts more closely.

An act which has been introduced by Hon. Geo. Headley, provides for the regulation of comission merchants in the province, who sell agricultural products, except milks, creams and grain and expect to sell 50% in a public stockroom. The bill provides for a maximum of \$10,000 and a merchant of \$2,000, for each commission merchant. Penalties under the act hold a maximum fine of \$1,000, and imprisonment for one year.

Assent was given on Friday afternoon by the lieutenant governor to two bills, the amendments to the municipalities act and the hospital district act. The amendments to three acts eliminate the necessity of payment of taxes as an qualification to voting in annual elections. This will apply to towns and villages and municipal districts, the haste in getting the bills passed being necessitated by the fact that the rural elections are on February 27th.

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Officers of the "Empress of Scotland"



Commander G. C. Evans, O.R.E., of the "Empress of Scotland" and his Officers. Photographed in New York Harbor, February 1, 1922.

Seated (left to right): Cadets K. Hutchings, De Hauteville-Bell and J. B. Hewson, R.N.R. Standing (left to right): Chief Officer Robert McMurray, R.N.R., Third Officer Thomas Jones, Commander G. C. Evans, O.R.E., First Officer H. A. Moore, R.N.R., Staff Captain E. Alkin, R.D., R.N.R., Fourth Officer T. R. Lucas, Fifth Officer J. P. Dobson, R.N.R., and Second Officer T. L. Blair.

The Canadian Pacific Steamship "Empress of Scotland," 25,000 tons, was recently in the transport and register office of the New York port of the Mediterranean, Europe, Egypt and Palestine, and was in the service of the Empire. She is being operated by two war veterans, Commander G. C. Evans, O.R.E., and Staff Captain E. Alkin, R.N.R. Commander Evans

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BANDIT HELD UP EDMONTON BANK ALL BY HIMSELF

Edmonton, Feb. 15.—A daring day light robbery took place at the North Edmonton branch of the Union Bank. The bandit, who held up the manager single-handed at the point of a 12 gauge shotgun, made his escape with about \$2000 in cash. The entire force of the city police are in pursuit of the man who became lost to view in the bush in the vicinity of Beverly.

The bandit operated alone, according to the evidence at hand, although he took the manager, S. J. Wimby, and a teller, Mrs. T. K. Rose, as a second party. The holdup was made at the bank by the front door, and a few seconds after the manager emerged and fired three revolver shots after him. That was the first intimation outsiders had of the crime, but they joined in a whole-hearted pursuit.

The posse, following tracks in the snow, found the trail leading in the direction of Beverly, but could not find the manager. A party of surveyors working in the village gave the last clue as to where the bank had been seen and the local police authorities took up the chase from this point.

The command "Put up your hands" bewildered the bank officials and the bandit forced him at the point of the weapon to comply at the same time riddling something about another man being outside, and "if you move it'll cost you your life." Covering the manager with the gun in one hand, he drew the till with the other, and, having got the cash, turned and up to the door, then it opened.

The manager through the window saw this man and picking up a revolver gave chase. The bandit entered the rear corner of the building. Wimby saw the man running alone across the floor and fired three shots. None of the bullets took effect.

The shotgun was found in a clump of brush where the bandit had thrown it in his dash to make a clear getaway.

The bandit entered the bank carrying the gun in his left hand. The belief is that the holdup was perpetrated only after the bandit had carefully laid his plans is evidenced by the fact that he waited until the teller had left for his lunch, also from the statement of a man, whose statement cannot be given, that he had seen both yesterday and today, a man tallying closely with the description of the bandit who had been given the 11.30 street car. He carried a shot gun.

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MILLET

We are delighted to know that once more a revival of the oil development enthusiasm has again spread over the Pigeon Lake region. We hope this time to realize something more than just talk.

The fishing season being now past, we miss the familiar and genial appearance of Mr. Jas. Dottier.

The ladies' old society are holding an "Irish Social" on March 17th. A dance concert will be rendered, and a sum of money will be given to the poor court for a luncheon.

The Sunday school is making a drive for a greater membership. Candidates will be chosen next week. Let everyone live up.

The ladies' old society will meet on Thursday, March 2nd, at the home of Mrs. T. K. Rose, at 3 p.m. A full attendance is expected.

On Sunday, Feb. 26th, "Bible" Sunday will be commemorated by the United services of different churches.

The services will be held at Lord Trevo, Hillside and at the Methodist church, Milllet. Mr. A. A. Brown, Colperton for the Canadian Bible society representing all denominations will be present at the meeting.

The service will be rendered by the choir.

A. P. Mitchell, auctioneer, took a business trip to Leduc this week.

The Honorable Glen church is soon to be moved from its present site down in the "Glen" to the main road out to Pigeon Lake. A meeting was called by Supt. L. H. Hughson, to which a good number attended and plans are being made for the re-opening of the Methodist church there and the installing of a minister, at least for the coming summer supply term.

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GENERAL NEWS

After a desperate 25 minutes' struggle in the waters of Toronto bay, George Sherlock was finally heroically rescued by Eddie Duran and his son John, of Toronto.

Mrs. Diana McMillan, 18, of Montreal, married a man after two weeks' honeymoon before his informed his parents that he was already married and had a 14 year old son, and now the girl is appealing in the superior court for an annulment of the marriage.

Mr. Robert Borden says that he has no intention of asking that he be asked to act as arbitrator in the boundary dispute between the Ulster government and the government of the Irish Free State.

A further delay has been made in the final disposition of the most loaded charge to the Canadian Bank of Commerce for the repayment of a receiver to take charge of taxes to be collected in the city of Swift Current, Sask.

Hon. James Murdoch, federal minister of labor, declares that the difference between employers and employees is largely an imaginary one to the Worker's Party of Canada, declaring that it is L.N.W. and O.B.U.

Another bill will be introduced in the coming session of the legislature to amend the contract between contractors and laborers' unions for adjustment of wage schedules.

The Trades and Labor council of Hamilton, Ont., have declined to send delegates to a conference of the Workers' Party of Canada, which they consider is detrimental to the interest of labor.

Capt. W. H. C. of the steamer Kew West, which collided with the schooner Oliver Mowat last September, has pleaded guilty to a charge of criminal negligence.

J. H. Sheeler, of Lucky Strike Alberia, is dead as a result of a stroke of paralysis.

The department of irrigation should be asked to ascertain whether the areas near the Waterton Lakes in Pincher Creek could not be used as a reservoir for the storage of flood waters.

The Civic Club and the board of trade of Cardston, Alberta, have undertaken to conduct an amalgamated relief work.

Principal Cuyler, of the Connaught school in Medicine Hat, who was charged with excessive punishment of pupils, has been exonerated.

Father Delorme of Montreal, a priest accused of the murder of his brother, will appear at trial on April 11. The June term of the court is adjourned.

An anti-prohibition league has been successfully formed in northern Saskatchewan and is being joined by a large number of members.

R. H. Crackow, district deputy master of Masonic order, district No. 1, dead.

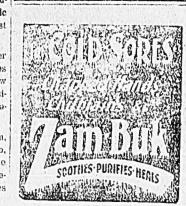
The Union Bank branch at North Edmonton was held up by a bandit with a shotgun, who obtained \$2,000.

Provincial police are investigating the death of Ernest Kruger, a farmer in the Regina district, found dead with a bullet in his head.

Short railway employees in Moose Jaw have received a wage reduction of five cents an hour.

While unemployment showed an increase in January, there was more time lost through strikes than in either the previous month or in January, 1921, according to the report just issued by the federal department of labor.

Premier King and Hon. James Murdoch, minister of labor, will receive the official thanks of the G.A.U.V. for their whole-hearted efforts in alleviating districts among returned soldiers during the present period of unemployment.



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**WEEKLY BULLETIN
FROM EDMONTON**

(By the Provincial Commissioner)
Considerable success attended the series of poultry meetings which were held in the southern part of the province by the department of agriculture. Lecturers report that never before have the farmers taken such a keen interest in the poultry industry.

A bulletin will shortly be ready for distribution by the department of agriculture on "Building a New Barn." The bulletin on sites is now ready for distribution.

It was announced by Attorney General Browne that Sir J. J. Nicholson, of the medical police, after many years of service, has been asked to take charge of the liquor under the liquor act, under the general direction of Commissioner Gandy. Arrangements will shortly be made also of the appointment of a man to have charge of the administration of the act, under the direction of the attorney general.

A delegation representing the Migratory League of the province waited on the cabinet on Wednesday with the request for moderation of the prohibitory law.

A delegation from sportmen of the province has presented a request to the minister of agriculture to have the seasons for prairie chickens and Hungarian partridge open simultaneously on October 1, and that the partridge season be open until the end of October.

A delegation which waited on Perrin Baker, minister of education, Thursday, asked for a conference on the subject which is in provinces of whom it was stated there were now 25 in Alberta. The delegation urged the government to provide a grant to the Alberta branch of the Canadian Institute for the blind.

Rapid growth of school districts in the province is shown by the fact that the minister of education during the past week signed an order for the organization of district No. 4091.

Figures and statements departmental in the annual report of the department of municipal affairs of the provincial government show the phenomenal growth of that department in the last ten years. This report was tabled in the legislature on Thursday afternoon by Hon. R. G. Reid, minister of health and municipal affairs. In 1912 the act under the jurisdiction of the department numbered only four, while in 1921 the department had the administration of no less than 19 acts, besides certain work conducted with respect to other acts.

In the annual report in the report to the excellent work done by H. M. Martin, commissioner regarding subdivision properties, in adjusting financial difficulties arising out of subdivisions which have been unable to bear the burden of taxes levied upon them.

The report also contains a summary of the work done by the municipal finances commission, which includes Chief Justice Harvey, Justices Beck and Hyndman, and others. Evidence of the commission has been concerning the financial condition of Town and County of Harvey, Town of Mactaquac, Village and S. D. of Borden, Tofield, Redcliff, Wainwright, Bassano, Redcliff, Wainwright, Wetaskiwin, in several cases the programmes for the year of the places mentioned being passed upon by the commission.

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most successful in many years. The exhibits numbered nearly 700, and were of the finest quality, in spite of the possibly adverse conditions in the country districts. Many of the first prize exhibits have been given by farm owners, to the provincial government for exhibition purposes in the future.

There were 1100 students registered at the University of Alberta during 1921, according to the annual report of the governors laid on the table of the legislature last week by the minister of education.

During the year two scholarships were given to the University of \$150 each, one by a returned soldier, Mr. George G. Wallace, and the other by the Red Cross Foundation by which a gift of \$15,000 was secured for the faculty of medicine.

At the annual convention of the provincial fair association held last week in Edmonton, J. F. Day was elected president and Rufus Gates of Cotes of Calverton, vice president. E. J. Frean, who for 17 years has been secretary, has been re-elected, and Alex. Gallaher, superintendent of bakers, has taken over the position temporarily. There will be 112 fairs in the province this year, compared with 105 in 1920. Two of them will be in June, 15 in July, 71 in August and 13 in September.

During a discussion on grants to farmers, Hon. Goo Headley, minister of agriculture, urged the importance of giving prizes only on merit, pointing out the harm done by poor practices and others in allowing prizes to be given on exhibits or on real merit or where there was only a small difference.

This year he said, the grants to farmers will be increased.

He said, "The amount given to the money spent, and as to how many fairs were justified by the good work done, he would rather see money diverted from a poor fair to help out some school fair."

Strong appeal was made by some delegates, however, to give every possible chance to the small fairs to make up for the large ones.

The agricultural fair puts the stamp on exhibits, and that stamp should be for merit only, said Mr. Headley.

An excellent address on plowing matches was given the convention by Prof. Smith, and Mr. H. A. Craig, deputy minister of agriculture, promised to have the address printed in bulletin form for distribution.

F. S. Grisdale addressed the convention on the agricultural schools, and John Wilson, of Innisfail, spoke on the agricultural fair, and that of Chauvin, spoke on agriculture in the schools, expressing opposition to adding the subject to the curriculum.

H. A. Craig, during a discussion on cooperation between agricultural fairs and school fairs, urged that any agreement between the two be eliminated.

Another successful convention of the Alberta Dairymen's association was held in Wetaskiwin last week.

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TOWN TOPICS

F. Chambers, of the Bitter Lake district, had the misfortune to lose his dwelling by fire a few days ago.

Mrs. V. C. French, who accompanied her daughter, Florence, to California, returned to the city on Saturday.

An event of importance is slated for March 17th, when an Automobile dance will be given in the Anglican hall.

On Saturday afternoon Miss Dora Wallace entertained a number of girl friends in honor of her guest, Miss Kathleen Jarvis.

The Keech Bridge Club met at the home of the vice-president on Monday evening, and spent an enjoyable evening.

The Weller U.P.A. will hold a card party in the U.P.A. block on Monday evening, February 27th. Everybody welcome.

The Young People's Bible class of Knox church intend holding a Fancy Dress carnival at the skating rink about the end of the month.

The Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will meet at the home of Mrs. T. L. Helmholz on Thursday, March 2nd at 2:30 p.m.

The Catholic Women's League will hold their next card party on March 11th in the Orlard Club room. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

One of the best dances of the season will be given in the Angus hall on Friday evening, February 26th, under the auspices of the Wetaskiwin Curling Club.

The Coal Lake U. F. A. local will hold their regular monthly meeting on Saturday, March 3rd in the Coal Lake Hall. A short musical program and debate will take place after the meeting. Mr. F. Freeman, of Gwynne, will also address the meeting.

Mrs. W. J. Wilson of the Angus Ridge district was taken ill on Friday last week and was rushed to the McPherson hospital, where it

was found that a serious operation had to be performed in order to save her life. Her many friends will be glad to learn that she is progressing well.

Mrs. E. Roberts of Stettler, who has for several years an esteemed citizen of Wetaskiwin, is visiting with Mrs. Geo. D. Wallace, and was the raison d'etre of a delightful bridge luncheon given by her hostess on Friday afternoon. The rooms were bright with spring blossoms and a most enjoyable evening was spent renewing former friendships.

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It is probable that Hon. J. H. King, federal minister of public works, will be returned by acclamation in the East Kootenay election.

The convention passed a resolution to make haste slowly in considering any move to do away with cream stations in the province, and he further urged the importance of improving the grade of butter.

C. P. Marker, dairy commissioner, urged more cooperation between manufacturer and producer. He pointed out that the grade of butter was dependent on the quality of the raw material.

The annual prize for butter was won by Mr. Steverns of Calgary, with J. P. Donald, Wetaskiwin, second, C. E. Christensen, Edmonton, third, and W. Hansen, Lacombe, fourth.

IS THE SUBCONSCIOUS MIND THE SOUL?

BY WILL HOLMES

In our story of the subconscious mind in previous articles we have noticed strange phenomena concerning the mind and its functions. We have also given some account of the soul and its relation to the body. While no organ of the body in which it is located, we do know that conscious thought, is functioned through the brain. When any portion of the brain is injured that part fails to function or functions abnormally. There is no part of the body in which injury affects the functioning of the subconscious mind.

We have seen that the soul is not a separate entity, but is an integral part of the body. The soul's influence is felt in mind far removed from the person as seen in telepathy. Thought connections are established between people and we are conscious of somebody watching us from across the street, and we are almost forced to turn and discover the watcher. Even though we are in a dense crowd, perhaps in a church or a theatre, we are conscious of somebody in the gallery or box seat directly in front of us, or even in the back row, and we are not surprised among the first or ordinary sense. Again if death should come to a loved one even at a distance we are conscious of disaster having been visited upon them. It comes perhaps in dreams of the night or a dread that seizes us in our waking hours, as if the subconscious released carried its message and communicated it to the parts most concerned.

The doctrine of the soul was evolved long before modern psychology propounded the doctrine of the subconscious mind as clearly as it has. We are the originators of that doctrine conscious of that mysterious "some thing" that we call the subconscious mind and the soul and the same thing?

The soul has been早已 created by the wise psychologist in the fifth century B.C. They held that the soul is that which controls the unconscious functions of the body. That it never be subject to location, not being material, that it exists independent of the material body, although the body does not exist and function independently of it. That it never subject to death, but carries on the egoistic consciousness and entity after the body has crumbled to death.

Professor Hudson, one of the foremost spiritualists, held that just as we believe in the permanence of the soul we prostrate our soul out into infinite time, "whereas" if there be no such faith, the soul goes out like a spark with the passing of life from the body. This he makes to harmonize with Christian philosophy which says "He that believeth hath life."

Readers of this article will no doubt feel that such a soul as that of Professor Hudson's is not the kind of soul that they should believe in, their immortality as a condition of immortality is pointed out in support of the argument. By belief also we determine the state of the subconsciousness after death, whether it shall persist in happiness or misery. The writer of this article thinks it wise to accept Professor Hudson's theory and with great reservations although it opens the issue that they is much to be said for immortality.

Gratuitous argument, who believes in the soul upon release from the body? It must be remembered that we have never located it in the body, although we have seen it functioning there. We have also seen it functioning in other minds and in other bodies through hypnotism and telepathy. Evidently space is not essential to its existence. With the subconsciousness the state is everything.

Let me say just a word about regression, which is also being discussed in this column. It is not in itself a new idea, but it is in its application to the phenomena of spiritualism, the spirit rappings, and the ghost appearances, that it all becomes important.

It is not subject to death under certain conditions, would it not be possible for the souls of the living to have spiritual or telepathic communication with the immortal souls of the departed? Are we not all spiritualists insofar as we instinctively communicate with the great souls of the past knowing that because of our communication these souls are not dead. Let it be remembered that the soul of the departed is a telepathic one, there is no need for spiritual clothes his body. Physical sounds and physical appearances have no place with unseen things except for purposes of multiplying the activity of the conscious mind. We must admit that we have only learned to understand a fringe of the mental makeup of the race. Somewhat perhaps more than blind faith will reveal that "there is more to life than meets the eye" and that they are far more greater than all that can be imagined.

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Sunday, February 26th—
Evening Service at 8 o'clock.
Sunday school, 3 p.m.

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Rev. W. W. Irvin, Pastor
11 a.m.—Subject: "A Greater Faith—Children's Talk—The Runaway."
2:30 p.m.—Bible Class and Sunday school.

7:30 p.m.—Subject: "Finding a Way Out."

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The annual Sunday morning service will be held at Now Sweden at 11 o'clock. The pastor will preach.

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